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In re Application

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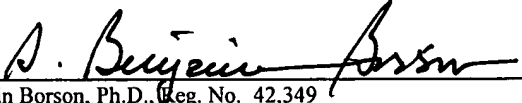
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This REPLY is in response to an Office Action mailed September 11, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee accompanies this REPLY.

**Amendment**